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For: A LENS MOLDING DIE AND A PRODUCING METHOD THEREFOR

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
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Sir:

Please extend the time for response to the Official Office Action dated August 27, 2003 by one month, from November 27, 2003 to December 29, 2003 (December 27, 2003 falling on a Saturday and December 28, 2003 falling on a Sunday. A check including the amount of \$110.00 is enclosed as payment for the fee.

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